

# About Taansen Fairmont Sumeru

## Biographical Summary

Taansen Fairmont Sumeru is a cosmic musician, heavenly artist, published author, meditation teacher, seminar speaker, and investment consultant. The one theme running like a golden thread through all his talents and activities is creating Heaven on Earth for all mankind. His main interest is the arrival of the Age of Enlightenment on Earth, which is coming through the acceleration of the evolution of human consciousness and the awakening of all the blessings of the Golden Age.

Dr. Sumeru is author of the highly acclaimed classic masterpiece book *Sovereignty Consciousness*. The message of the book won unprecedented standing ovations when he spoke at many offshore investment seminars on ocean cruises in the Caribbean, Mexico, and Alaska, and at resorts in Fiji, Vanuatu, Bali, Singapore, and various Caribbean islands. He is also author of numerous published articles and the forthcoming book *Dawn of the Enlightened World Arts Metamorphosis*.

At age 19 in 1973, the Transcendental Meditation technique, as taught by His Holiness Maharishi Mahesh Yogi, gave Taansen an opening into his inner enlightenment and unbounded pure bliss consciousness. Subsequently he was educated at Maharishi International University in America and at Maharishi European Research University in Switzerland, where he received the title "Governor of the Age of Enlightenment" in 1977 at age 22.

Then he continued his studies through hundreds of other seminars, courses, institutes, Enlightened Masters, and the most important of all, inner exploration and self-study.

He became a Sannyasin with Osho (Rajneesh) in 1985, and has been associated with Her Holiness Sri Mata Amritanandamayi ("Ammachi"), Da Samraj, Sri Sri Ravishankar, Sri Satya Sai Baba, Sri Karunamayi, Suma Ching Hai, and other Masters. He holds a Ph.D. in Religion from the internationally accredited Universal Life University, California.

Dr. Sumeru's physical ancestry is English and Scandinavian, but his first and last spiritual names are Sanskrit from the Himalayas of India. "Taansen" and "Sumeru" were given to him in 1982 and 1984 and legalized at that time in Hawaii. "Taansen" means "master of universal sound". "Fairmont" is the Western translation of "Sumeru", meaning "beautiful mountain, summit of heaven". The pronunciation of Sumeru is: su - MEH - ru ... with the accent on the *second* syllable.

Taansen was born and raised in the USA and Europe as the only son of a very loving and spiritual couple, his father from Philadelphia and his mother from Atlanta. His parents now live south of Seattle, Washington. His father was a management trainer and consultant for the United States Government Civil Service, transferred to different locations every few years all over North America and Europe. As a result, Taansen is

from "nowhere" and "everywhere", but has resonated geographically most with California, Hawaii, the Pacific Rim, and the sacred areas of the Orient.

His consort, soul mate, and spiritual companion is Shirsha, a former movie star and top fashion model from Belgium and France. Shirsha left show business, lived in India and Japan, adopted many of the same spiritual practices as Taansen, and reunited with him near San Francisco in 1983.

### **Key Accomplishments, Positions, and Associations**

- Member, International Meditation Society
- Teacher, the Transcendental Meditation Technique
- Governor of the Age of Enlightenment, Maharishi European Research Univ. (MERU)
- Clairaudient and clairvoyant of celestial aesthetics
- Musician, *Namasté* (1984) and other recordings
- Artist, various drawings, paintings, and photographs
- Collector, largest known collection in the world of heavenly, celestial, cosmic art
- Co-Director, Breatharian Institute
- Sannyasin, Osho Commune International
- Author, *Dawn of the Enlightened World Arts Metamorphosis* (forthcoming)
- Initiate, Suma Ching Hai Meditation Association
- Consultant, Better World Technologies (free energy devices)
- Donor, Natural Law Party
- Partner, Free Enterprise Forums
- Trustee, Transcendental Fellowship

- Member, Terra Libra ("Free Earth" global libertarian country)
- Member, Prosper International League, Ltd.
- Member, Science of the Spirit Foundation
- Director, Advisory Council, Lightsource
- Member, Pinnacle Club
- Director, Golden Age Intelligence Associates (GAIA), Ltd.
- Intermediary, Bank Instruments Reserve Account programs
- Speaker, International Investment Seminars
- Author, Sovereignty Consciousness
- Trustee, Morning Light Management
- Member, EarthSave Foundation
- Member, International Society of Financiers
- Member, Art of Living Foundation
- Trustee, Sat Yuga Consulting
- Member, Unarius Academy of Science
- Member, Sovereign Society
- Co-Director (former), Sattva Investment Bank (Bank of World Peace)
- Contributor, Foundation for Conscious Evolution
- Trustee, Prema Dharma Trust
- Honor Roll of Giving, Maharishi University of Management

- Member of Council, Golden Capstone Foundation & New Millennium Developmt. Corp.
- Citizen, Global Country of World Peace
- Member, Board of Consultants, Ivernia Investment Corporation
- Co-Creator, Cosmic Communion educational series
- Founder, Golden Age Consulting
- Founder, Empyreal Creations production company (forthcoming)
- Member, American Writers and Artists Institute
- Member, Nouveau Riche real estate investment educational group
- Member, Ziquin Educational Group

About *Shanti; Diary of a Guardian Angel*:

“This is a masterful analysis of suffering, its causes, and its cure. It is richly illustrated with stories, stories that are either true or could be true, and that reflect actual realities human beings have been living in extreme personal life situations all over the world. The book overflows with a love for high morals and ethics, and a likewise intense and well-deserved disdain for corrupt and degraded social trends. It is strong and colorful, written from religious universality and true spiritual passion, with a sincere and total dedication to enlightenment, transformative educational reform, and to planetary upliftment.”

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